

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION  
JANUARY 2004**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2003 To Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
<b>State Total</b>	<b>205,281</b>	<b>493,491</b>	<b>\$41,014,001</b>	<b>199,811</b>	<b>482,472</b>	<b>\$281,160,283</b>
Abbeville	1,393	3,035	259,424	1,338	2,945	1,750,747
Aiken	6,783	16,854	1,416,894	6,592	16,546	9,701,163
Allendale	1,479	3,521	313,136	1,454	3,486	2,131,774
Anderson	7,403	18,640	1,582,946	7,099	17,946	10,700,742
Bamberg	1,466	3,388	267,868	1,435	3,356	1,877,513
Barnwell	1,949	4,654	389,148	1,880	4,548	2,676,031
Beaufort	3,310	8,714	719,026	3,174	8,397	4,880,512
Berkeley	6,052	15,385	1,283,960	5,843	14,948	8,790,571
Calhoun	878	2,011	163,171	856	2,000	1,113,599
Charleston	13,025	31,512	2,559,451	12,711	30,899	17,647,905
Cherokee	3,409	8,209	690,140	3,327	8,042	4,772,834
Chester	2,575	6,120	518,611	2,523	6,006	3,605,013
Chesterfield	3,537	8,229	678,191	3,457	8,068	4,658,247
Clarendon	3,363	7,806	635,428	3,382	7,878	4,468,105
Colleton	2,992	7,304	570,332	2,919	7,114	3,926,931
Darlington	5,685	13,704	1,119,291	5,622	13,635	7,829,270
Dillon	2,977	7,371	587,273	2,958	7,362	4,110,776
Dorchester	3,600	9,229	762,907	3,509	8,995	5,258,149
Edgefield	1,344	3,136	239,895	1,302	3,088	1,648,661
Fairfield	1,858	4,150	355,566	1,819	4,080	2,429,673
Florence	8,775	21,462	1,776,762	8,703	21,397	12,408,303
Georgetown	3,713	9,171	748,227	3,573	8,820	5,023,545
Greenville	14,100	32,878	2,815,204	13,519	31,577	18,985,047
Greenwood	3,323	7,914	676,689	3,216	7,693	4,616,497
Hampton	1,566	4,100	318,149	1,519	4,053	2,198,675
Horry	11,432	26,192	2,255,293	10,700	24,577	14,657,860
Jasper	1,486	3,624	301,720	1,477	3,613	2,131,936
Kershaw	2,102	5,131	411,112	2,091	5,085	2,862,320
Lancaster	3,582	8,752	772,305	3,528	8,664	5,344,765
Laurens	3,589	8,645	708,766	3,534	8,570	4,932,310
Lee	2,242	5,209	416,614	2,205	5,146	2,911,208
Lexington	6,635	17,495	1,467,198	6,583	17,393	10,315,747
McCormick	760	1,528	127,558	734	1,483	862,365
Marion	3,884	8,548	665,153	3,791	8,372	4,521,851
Marlboro	2,784	6,261	507,270	2,738	6,204	3,536,506
Newberry	2,248	5,047	417,311	2,207	4,993	2,896,131
Oconee	2,387	5,969	455,428	2,314	5,826	3,168,541
Orangeburg	8,763	19,673	1,647,154	8,535	19,306	11,300,733
Pickens	2,811	7,087	554,842	2,648	6,698	3,671,553
Richland	13,296	32,420	2,811,965	13,153	32,042	19,445,625
Saluda	1,162	2,626	206,738	1,117	2,520	1,392,115
Spartanburg	9,244	22,471	1,831,416	8,969	21,914	12,648,164
Sumter	7,665	18,214	1,493,389	7,503	17,857	10,220,903
Union	1,954	4,225	337,020	1,896	4,119	2,328,452
Williamsburg	4,188	9,589	750,874	4,068	9,367	5,125,844
York	6,512	16,288	1,427,186	6,289	15,842	9,675,071

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